Viewing Tips

For a successful Wildlife Watch:

- Take note of the season and the weather
- Tell a friend where you are going, before you leave
- Leave your pets at home
- Keep a respectful distance
- Use binoculars, spotting scope, or camera with telephoto lens
- Keep very quiet stay very still
- Don't feed the animals
- Relax see, hear, smell and feel your experience with nature

Wildlife Viewing at Libby Dam, Lake Koocanusa and the Kootenai River

Montana designated Libby Dam, Lake Koocanusa and the Kootenai River as Watchable Wildlife viewing sites in 1989.

Do the Wild Thing - take a close, but respectful look at our wild friends. If you're careful and patient, you can watch wildlife without startling them or disturbing their habitat.

Look closely - you may see bald eagles, great blue herons, Canada geese, osprey, river otters, raccoons, moose, deer, coyotes or many of the other species that make their home here.

Watch Wildlife! You'll never forget the experience.

Wildlife Viewing Map

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